

SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT
PHILOSOPHY

Indians are born speaking our languages. For some of us, they lie dormant within our bodies. They are looking for a way out. God gave us these beautiful languages. All of us hold them in a sacred manner within. There is no such thing as an Indian person who cannot speak Indian.

Our language programs find these languages within our bodies. They bring them out through our mouths and deliver them to their rightful resting places within our hearts.

SAUK WORD & PHRASE FOR JULY 2011
Penâwi (Summer Moon)



Kethâkîhipena!
(We Are All Sauk!)

The Sauk Language Department would like to congratulate Angel Bemo, of Meeker Schools, for being the Spring 2011 Design Contest Winner.

There were very good designs submitted this year, and we would like to thank everyone who participated.

The Sauk Language Department is a proud sponsor of the Meeker Schools Afterschool and Summer Sauk Language programs.

Word Search

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APÂTHETÊKÊWA
KÎWESHKÊWA
KÎWICHIMÊWA
WÎSHATHOWA
PENÂWIWI
ÂSHKWÎMI
WÊSHKIHTÂHI

SUNBATHE
TRAVEL
SWIM
SWEATY (BE HOT AND...)
SUMMER (IT’S...)
ICE CREAM
WATERMELON

SAUK LANGUAGE
STROUD PRE-K IMMERSION
PILOT PROGRAM IS NOW ACCEPTING
APPLICATIONS.
CLASSES BEGIN AUGUST 1, 2011



Let’s All Come Together

WHERE: SAC AND FOX NATION LEARNING CENTER,
356195 EAST 930 ROAD (JUST EAST OF MERLE BOYD CENTER)

WHEN: AUGUST 1-5, 2011

TIME: 8 AM TO 12 PM-SNACKS AND LUNCH PROVIDED BY LANGUAGE PROGRAM

WHO: 3 & 4 YEAR OLDS, 5 YEAR OLDS WILL BE PUT ON A WAITING LIST.
(SAC AND FOX TRIBAL MEMBERS GIVEN FIRST PREFERENCE)

ALL CHILDREN MUST BE POTTY-TRAINED! NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!

REGISTRATION IS ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS, WITH ENROLLMENT LIMITED TO THE FIRST 10 CHILDREN.

TRANSPORTATION NOT PROVIDED. CHILDREN MUST BE DROPPED OFF AND PICKED UP BY PARENT/APPROVED ADULT.

PACKETS MAY BE PICKED UP AT THE SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT, OR BY CALLING EITHER 918-968-0070 or 1-800-256-7552.

DEADLINE FOR RETURNING COMPLETED REGISTRATION PACKETS IS TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2011 BEFORE 4:30 PM.

Talk Sauk.
SAUK LANGUAGE
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Language Quote for the Month

“For a language to flourish it has to be used. That is the bottom line.”
-William Harjo Lone Fight

“We believe, we firmly do believe, that the language was a gift from our Creator. As such, it is sacred to us. Without it, we cannot exist in the manner the Creator intended for us.”
-William C’Hair, Arapaho

“Learn your language, traditions and bylaws so you can run your tribe someday.”
-Laila DeRouen, 22, Pomo

“You’ve got to know your language to understand your culture.”
-Beatrice Taylor, Ojibwe

“When the language is no longer spoken, many of the cultural elements specific to a group are lost: its greetings, its praises, its laws, its literature, its songs, its riddles, its proverbs, its cures, its wisdom and its prayers. A culture cannot be expressed or handed on in any other way.”
-lakota language.org

SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT HAPPENINGS AND NEWS

Join Us Online!

Come join us online at www.talksauk.com to see what all we have to offer: games, Pictionary, videos, etc. Visit our Facebook page where you can post your comments, and see what the latest classes and activities are ongoing:

sac and fox language department



OPEN HOUSE

SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

FRIDAY, JULY 8, 2011
11 AM TO 1 PM
GIVEAWAYS! FOOD! DOOR PRIZES!

Stroud Pre-K Immersion Pilot Program
August 1 – 5, 2011
Sac and Fox Nation Learning Center (Education Bldg. next to Gym)

Now taking applications for 3-4 year olds
(5 year olds may apply and will be put on a waiting list)
Space is limited, so register early!
Call or come by the Sauk language department for a registration package

We always welcome suggestions and/or comments from tribal members on programs you have attended, or would like to see scheduled. Call 918-968-0070 or 800-256-7552, or email language@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov

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